

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

September 8, 2000

IN RE:

**GENERIC DOCKET TO ESTABLISH UNE PRICES)
FOR LINE SHARING PER FCC 99-355, AND RISER)
CABLE AND TERMINATING WIRE AS ORDERED)
IN TRA DOCKET 98-00123)**

**DOCKET NO.
00-00544**

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO FILE SURREBUTTAL COMMENTS

This matter came before the Pre-Hearing Officer upon the *Motion to File Surrebuttal Comments* filed on behalf of the Data Coalition¹ on September 7, 2000.

In its motion, the Data Coalition explains that it wishes to clarify two issues raised in the August 25, 2000 filing of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. It is the finding of the Pre-Hearing Officer that the motion is well-taken and should be granted. Moreover, it is the opinion of the Pre-Hearing Officer that, while it is necessary to give all parties an opportunity to argue, it is also necessary to bring the filings to a close.

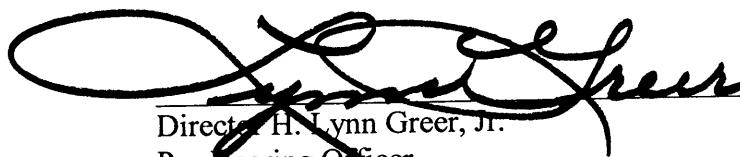
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1) The *Motion to File Surrebuttal Comments* is granted. The *Surrebuttal Comments to BellSouth's Proposed Interim Rates* attached to the motion shall be deemed filed as of September 7, 2000.

¹ The Data Coalition includes BlueStar Networks, Inc., DIECA Communications, d/b/a Covad Communications, Broadslate Networks of Tennessee, Inc., and Vectris Telecom, Inc.


2) Any further filings related to the setting of interim rates from any of the parties shall be filed no later than **2:00 p.m., September 12, 2000.**

3) Any party aggrieved by this Order may file a Petition for Reconsideration pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 4-5-317 with the Tennessee Regulatory Authority within fifteen (15) days of the entry of this Order.



Director H. Lynn Greer, Jr.
Pre-Hearing Officer

ATTEST:



K. David Waddell, Executive Secretary